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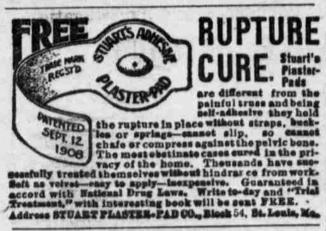
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NEWS OF THE WEEK

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Henry Seligman, at one time one of the best known financiers in the United States, died at Frankfort-onthe-Main, Germany. In the civil war it was Seligman's firm that took up some of the heaviest government bond issues.

By a vote of three to two the subcommittee in the senate, which has been investigating the merger of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, decided to report to the full committee that the president was not authorized to permit that absorption. The committee also found that Mr. Roosevelt had no right to direct the attorney general not to interfere with the merger and it was also declared that the merger was in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law and should be proceeded against accordingly. The sub-committee was composed of Senators Clark of Wyoming, Dillingham and Kittridge, republicans, and Culberson and Overman, democrats. Kittridge voted with Culberson and Overman for the re-

The Hill and Harriman interests are at war before the interstate commerce commission. An Associated Press dispatch says: "The contest, which is regarded as one of the most important which has come before the commission in years, is to enforce an order of the commission directing the Northern Pacific railroad to participate with the Harriman lines in making a through rate from Missouri and Mississppi river points into Portland, Ore. One of the important points involved in the controversy is the right of the commission to compel competing railroads to join in making through rates."

An Associated Press dispatch from Washington, D. C., says: "Miss Emily Virginia Mason, of a famous Virginia family who won fame during the civil war as a nurse of confederate soldiers, and who administered to union soldiers at Libby prison, died in this city, aged ninety-four. Stephen Thompson Mason, first governor elected in Michigan, was her brother and her father was General John Thompson Mason, first territorial governor of that state. Miss Mason, who was born in Lexington, Ky., was commissioned by President Davis of the confederacy to organize hospital camps during the war."

Sixty villages were destroyed and from five to six thousand people killed in an earthquake in the province of Luristan, western Persia, recorded January 23.

By a unanimous vote the house of representatives adopted the bill giving statehood to Arizona and New Mexico. The measure will be fought in the senate.

W. W. Ramsey, former president of the German National Bank of Pittsburg, was found guilty on the charge of bribing a city councilman. Ramsey was accused of giving the councilman \$17,500 in order to secure the passage of an ordinance making his bank a depository for city funds.

The convention called by James W. Van Cleave, president of the national association of manufacturers, to agitate the appointment of a permanent tariff commission and the "divorce of the tariff from politics," met at Indianapolis.

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